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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

NICHOLE FRASER NICHOLS

Plaintiff,

v.

MARTIN O'MALLEY,
Commissioner of Social Security,

Defendant.

Case No.: 2:24-cv-00087-EJY

**UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME
(FIRST REQUEST)**

Defendant, Martin O'Malley, Commissioner of Social Security (Defendant), respectfully requests that the Court extend the time for Defendant to respond to Plaintiff's Brief (Dkt. No. 9, filed on April 10, 2024), currently due on May 10, 2024, by 31 days, through and including June 10, 2024. Defendant further requests that the deadline for Plaintiff's optional reply brief be extended to June 24, 2024.

This is Defendant's first request for an extension of time to file a response. Good cause exists for this extension. Counsel is currently in the process of determining whether a settlement agreement is possible in this case and needs additional time to consider this option. If the case cannot be settled,

1 then Defendant's counsel will proceed with filing Defendant's response to Plaintiff's Brief by the new
2 due date of June 10, 2024. Counsel for Defendant advised counsel for Plaintiff of the need for this
3 extension on May 8, 2024. Counsel for Plaintiff confirmed that Plaintiff does not object to this
4 request.

5 It is therefore requested that Defendant be granted an extension of time to respond to Plaintiff's
6 Brief, through and including June 10, 2024. This request is made in good faith and with no intention
7 to unduly delay the proceedings.

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9 Dated: May 9, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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11 United States Attorney

12 /s/ David Priddy
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16 IT IS SO ORDERED:

17 Raymond J. Zouchak
18 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

19 DATED: May 9, 2024
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